

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1482

## 91ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES MAYS (50) AND BURTON (Co-sponsors).

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TED WEDEL, Chief Clerk

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### AN ACT

To amend chapter 393, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the public service commission.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 393, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be  
2 known as section 393.143, to read as follows:

**393.143. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the  
2 commission shall have the authority and discretion for good cause shown, upon notice and  
3 after an evidentiary hearing, to direct that sums representing unauthorized use charges,  
4 penalties, or refunds from interstate or intrastate pipeline, including interest on such sums,  
5 received by a gas corporation, as well as any penalties resulting from the operation of a gas  
6 corporation's tariffs, be allocated among ratepayers in such manner as the commission  
7 finds to be in the public interest.**